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Title:

Electronic Apparatus, External Adjustment Device for the Same.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed information are also enclosed.

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CONCLUSION

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